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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

In re the Application of

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Application No.: 09/769,760

Filed: January 26, 2001

For: MAGNETIC TRANSDUCER, THIN FILM MAGNETIC HEAD, METHOD OF MANUFACTURING
MAGNETIC TRANSDUCER AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURING THIN FILM MAGNETIC HEAD

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